

### **Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

### **Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1 – 5: Cancelled

6. (New) A receptacle, comprising:

four vertical outer sides; and

means disposed on said outer sides, wherein said means are adapted to engage in like means of an adjacent receptacle, and wherein said means serve to position said receptacle in a defined manner relative to at least one adjacent receptacle and to horizontally interlock said receptacles.

7. (New) A receptacle according to claim 6, wherein said means are disposed in corner regions of said receptacle.

8. (New) A receptacle according to claim 7, wherein said means are U-shaped, hook-shaped, or bent-round guide rails.

9. (New) A receptacle according to claim 6, wherein said means are provided with upper sections that are beveled in a manner sloping inwardly from the outside.

10. (New) A receptacle according to claim 6, wherein at least a portion of said means is provided with lower sections that are beveled in a manner sloping inwardly from the outside and/or outwardly from the inside.